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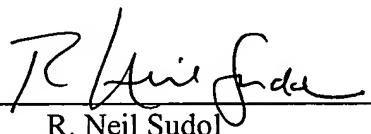
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The references listed on the enclosed copy of Form 1449 have been cited in counterpart application Serial No. 09/817,541, filed March 26, 2001. That related application is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Accordingly, copies of the listed references are not provided herewith. [See 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d).]

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the cited references in determining the patentability of the claimed invention. Applicant also requests that the Examiner return a copy of enclosed Form PTO-1449 with initials or other marks indicating that the references have been so considered.

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